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SUBJECT: W/W MRS. DAVID ALFORD

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1. CONGRESSWOMAN MARILY LLOYD INTERESTED.
2. MRS. BETTY WHITE WAS TELEPHONED BY DEPARTMENT ON JULY 12 PER REFTEL.
3. SEVERAL DISCREPANCIES APPEAR IN FAMILY'S ALLEGED UNDERSTANDING OF MRS. ALFORD'S POSITION REGARDING AIR TICKETS AND COMPENSATION. IN VIEW WHAT MAY BE FAMILY DISAGREEMENT SUGGEST EMBASSY PASS DIRECT QUOTE OF MESSAGE FROM MRS. WHITE AS FOLLOWS: QUOTE MRS. BETTY WHITE STATES FUNERAL BEING DELAYED UNTIL MRS. ALFORD'S RETURN TO US AND PERSONAL INSTRUCTIONS AS SHE IS NEXT OF KIN. MRS. WHITE UNABLE RENDER FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE; URGES MRS. ALFORD TO RETURN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE UNQUOTE.
4. FYI: CONVERSATION WITH MRS. WHITE IMPLIES FAMILY'S GREATEST CONCERN IS TO OBTAIN MRS. ALFORD'S RETURN, POSSI-

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